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THE PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS—PARTIAL LIST OF THE ELECTED AND DEFEATED.

LONDON, Nov 17—The Parliamentary elections, which continued to-day, have been favored with good weather. So far as is yet known, the Liberals have elected 147 members, a gain of 30, while the Conservatives have secured 62, a gain of 8. The following are elected:

Charles Gilpin, Liberal, from Northampton, borough. Right Hon J G Gosohen, Liberal, from London. Austen Henry Layard, Liberal, from Southwark. Right Hon W E Gladstone, Liberal, from Greenwich. John Bright, Liberal, from Manchester. John Laird, Liberal, from Birkenhead. Acton Smee Ayrton, Liberal, from the Tower Hamlets. Right Hon E Cardwell, Liberal, from Oxford City. Vernon Harcourt, Liberal, from Oxford City. George John Shaw Lefevre, Liberal, from Reading. William Edward Forster, Liberal, from Bradford. Samuel Whitbread, Liberal, from Bedford. James Stansfeld, Jr, Liberal, from Halifax. Lord Mayor of London Lawrence, Liberal, from Lambeth. Sir Roundell Palmer, Liberal, from Richmond. Arthur John Otway, Liberal, from Chatham. Viscount Duff, Liberal, from Berwick. Samuel Morley, Liberal, from Bristol. Edmond Beales, Liberal, from the Tower Hamlets. Alexander Wm Kingslake, Liberal, from Bridgewater. John Duke Coleridge, Liberal, from Exeter. Edgar Bowring, Liberal, from Exeter. Right Hon W E Gladstone, Liberal, from Whitby. Henry Fawcett, Liberal, from Brighton. Hugh Culling Eardley Childers, Liberal, from Pontefract. Thos Bayly Potter, Liberal, from Rochdale. Lord George Charles Gordon Lennox, Liberal, from Lymington. Lord Henry George Charles Gordon Lennox, Liberal, from Chichester. Sir S P Collier, Liberal, from Plymouth.

The following have been defeated:

John Stuart Mill, Liberal, for Westminster. Baron Lionel Nathan de Rothschild, Liberal, for London. John Arthur Roebuck, Liberal, for Sheffield. Mr Bradlaugh, Liberal, for Northampton. Stephen Gaselee, Liberal, for Portsmouth. Mr E Mill, Liberal, for Bradford. Mr Giffard, Conservative, for Exeter. Anthony Trollope, Liberal, for Beverly.

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS OF THE ELECTIONS.

LONDON, Tuesday, November 17th—Midnight—Additional particulars show the election of the following:

Sir R A Glass, Conservative, from Bendigo. Sir John Somerset Packington, Conservative, from Droitwich. William Bulkeley Hughes, Liberal, from Carnarvon District. Sir Robert Peel, Liberal, from Tamworth. Sir H L Bulwer, Liberal, from Tamworth.

The following have been defeated: Mason Jones, Liberal, for Boston. Ralph Bernal Osborn, Liberal, for Nottingham.

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Boys' Baltic Shirts—White Shirts, Gloves, Collars, Neckties, &c.

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Nanaimo, V. I., Dec, 2nd, 1868. de5

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Dec. 11, 1868.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Transient Advertisements must be paid for in advance to insure insertion.

TO AGENTS.

Settlements of accounts will be required monthly, or the supply of papers will be discontinued. The daily and weekly issues will be furnished at the lowest cash rates and no exception will in future be made to this rule.

For Interesting Reading Matter see 1st page

THIS issue ends the twentieth volume of the COLONIST, and to-morrow we shall enter upon the eleventh year of our existence. The decade of years that has flown since the first number of our paper saw the light, has witnessed many changes. During that period the Colony has once attained to the very highest pinnacle of prosperity and been again plunged into the lowest depths of despair. Hundreds in the enjoyment of full health, and whose prospects for long life were apparently good, have passed from our midst never to return; and thousands, prompted by honorable ambition and noble aspirations to seek our shores, have been forced by the vicissitudes of fortune to struggle for a livelihood elsewhere. The changes in the Government of the Colony have been numerous and not always for the best interests of the country, but we feel now that public confidence is being restored, and that all that is required to insure us a steady increase in material wealth is a liberal system of Government and wise legislation. The COLONIST, too, has seen its changes. Death has been busy among its staff and cut down more than one promising co-laborer in the field of journalism; the proprietorship has changed three times; but through all the vicissitudes inseparable from life in a new Colony, our journal has continued to chronicle passing events, and to make its daily call at the door of all classes of citizens. Every number comprised within its twenty bound volumes is a record of events which then interested the community, and a faithful history of the past. We hope to live to celebrate our twentieth birthday under much improved circumstances and with a larger and more extended field of usefulness before us.

Taxation.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Nothing lessens public confidence more, or occasions more restless discontent in this Colony than the operation of indirect taxation. The amount of this artificial tax cannot be ascertained, no limit can be assigned to it. The Customs' and Excise duties furnish no criterion for judging of the extent of this system of finance; because additions are continually being made to the primary duties by the next purchasers and dealers who not only shift the burden of those duties on their neighbors and the ultimate consumers of excisable goods, but they actually gain by the duties imposed, because they charge the same rate of profit upon the duty paid by them as upon the first price of the imported merchandise. Thus the consumer suffers in two ways; 1st by the augmented price of such articles and consequently the unequal pressure (if not the full pressure) upon him and his family; 2nd, the opportunities of enterprise are correspondingly checked in him. Let there be therefore the total repeal of some taxes, and a very large reduction of the present tariff to be applied to the existing forced taxation, which, as a cancer, is eating out the energy and hope of this overburdened Colony.

SIGARD.

A MAJORITY PRESIDENT.—It has sometimes been said that the Republicans had not elected their Presidents by majority votes. In 1860, Lincoln ran against three competitors, and, although he had a handsome majority in the electoral college, he was in a minority of the popular vote. In 1864, the absence of eleven States from participation in the election gave a sort of pretext for saying that he was not then chosen by a majority of the people, although he had a vast majority of the people who had a legal right to vote, which is all that can be asked for in any case. But even this quibble cannot be raised against President Grant (for we might as well go used to the title). He will have a decided, noble majority of all the voters in the Union, thus becoming the President of the people, against whose will he has promised to have no policy.—*Boston Journal.*

AT a Republican meeting held in New York the Hon Mr Brewster of Pennsylvania made a memorable statement. He said that Gen Grant recently addressed a friend in these words—'This much I wish, and I declare this to be my policy—that such a degree of peace and tranquility shall exist in this country, that a man may speak his mind in any part of our great land, and that without molestation or hindrance.'

MISS SARAH P REDMOND, a young colored lady of Massachusets, has just graduated as M D, at a famous medical school in Florence, Italy.

New Advertisements.

A Grand Concert

Will be given at the

ALHAMBRA HALL,

BY THE

ST. JOHN'S CHORAL SOCIETY,

ON THE EVENING OF

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22nd,

In Aid of the BUILDING FUND of the ST. JOHN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Programmes and Particulars in a few days. de11

Notice to Carpenters and Builders.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS LUMBER for Sale at the lowest Market Prices. The lumber will be delivered at Muir's Mill, Soake, or in this city, in large or small quantities, and at any dimensions required.

L. LOWENBERG,
de11 Government street.

MASONIC NOTICE.

THE MEMBERS OF VANCOUVER Lodge, No 421, F. and A. M., R.S., are summoned to attend an Especial Emergency Meeting, at the Lodge Room, on Sunday, the 13th inst., at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of attending to the burial of their deceased Brother, J. W. Dissette.

The procession will leave the Hall at half-past one, sharp.

Visiting Brethren are invited to attend.

By order of the R. W. M.,
de11 H. E. SEELYE, Sec.

For Sale,

EX ACTIVE,

IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

600 qr sacks Imperial Flour, Extra
400 qr sacks Standard Flour, Extra
400 qr sacks Salem Flour, Extra
400 sacks Choice Oats
300 sacks Seed Wheat
200 sacks Seed Shorts
100 bxs Choice Apples.

By R. BRODRICK,
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Don't Get Burnt Out!

D. SPENCER

IS CLEARING OUT HIS

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Books, Stationery AND TOYS.

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ALL THE NEW GOODS

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C. B. PLUMMER

Will give one of his Refined and Mirth Provoking

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AT THE

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On FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 11th.

TICKETS, $1 00.

For Sale at the Book Stores, and at the Door.

See Programmes. de11

THE CALIFORNIA, OREGON AND Mexico Steamship Company's Steamer

ACTIVE,

Capt. F. C. SHOLL,

Will sail for Portland, from Brodrick's Wharf, this day (FRIDAY, Dec. 11th, at 10 a. m.

For Freight or Passage apply to

W. T. WELCKER, Agent,
Wharf street.

N.B.—Any passengers found on board after the steamer leaves the wharf, who have not tickets, will be landed on the coast. de1

Cigars! Cigars! Cigars!

PRIZES TAKEN AT THE

PARIS EXHIBITION.

KEYSER & LOWENBERG

Have just received one of the FINEST ASSORTMENT of

CIGARS

EVER IMPORTED TO THE COLONY.

The BRANDS of the STOCK now offered by Messrs K. & L. at their STORE,

Alhambra Buildings, Government st.,

Took the Principal Prizes at the Late Paris Exhibition.

Connoisseurs would do well to give this Establishment a visit if they want a Real Genuine Article. de10

WANTED

A GIRL TO DO CHAMBER-WORK and take care of Children.

Apply to
MRS SUTRG,
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TO BE LET.

THE COMMODIOUS NINE-ROOMED House, on James Bay, at present occupied by Rout Harvey, Esq., together with large garden, well-stocked with fruit trees. There is an abundant supply of hard and soft water on the premises. The situation is one of the healthiest and most pleasant in this city.

Apply to
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New Advertisements.

THOS. CAMERON,

COACH & WAGON BUILDER,

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HAS ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Bullock and Six Mule Team Wagons, of the best material, for sale.

CORMORANT STREET.
de10

A GRAND AND GENUINE

Ethiopian Performance

WILL BE GIVEN BY THE "LAFONT & WARD" Troupe, at the THEATRE ROYAL, on SATURDAY EVE., DEC. 12th. The Pieces are well selected and carefully rehearsed.

The Managers beg leave to state that they will spare no pains to make this one of the best Minstrel Performances that has ever been witnessed in Victoria.

Box-office open on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock p.m. No extra charge for Reserved Seats. de10

LECTURE.

HIS LORDSHIP THE BISHOP OF Columbia will give the First of a Series of Lectures in aid of the Building Fund of St. John's School House, on MONDAY NEXT, the 14th inst., at 8 o'clock, p. m.

Subject—"BRITISH INDIA."

On this occasion, for the first time in the Colony, will be used the Magnificent Oxyhydrogen Lantern, with a disc of 24 feet, to illustrate the principal Scenes of the Lecture.

Single Tickets, $1 00 each.
Family Tickets (including four persons, $2 00.
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IN AND OUT OF BOND,

Ex "PRINCE VICTOR" and other recent arrivals from England.

Sauce, Worcestershire, "Lea & Perrin's."
Pickles, "Morton's," 45 cases
Candles, Price's Belmont, 150 bxs, 25 lbs.
Matches, Wood and Wax.
Sardines, in qr and hlf, in tins, 50 cases.
Looking Glasses, assorted sizes.
Leather, French Calf, a large assortment, sold in any quantities.
Linseed Oil and Paints.
Paper Hangings, a large assortment, about 600 rolls in a case.
Glassware—Cut and Pressed, Bar Tumblers, Wines, &c.
Shoe and Saddler's Thread, "Barbour's."
Twine, assorted kinds and colors.
Pick Steel, Sanderson's & Naylor's, 12 cases, assorted sizes.
Swedish Iron, assorted sizes.
Tin Plates, a full assortment.
Zinc, 18 casks, assorted sizes.
R. G. and Common Sheet, Bar and Hoop Iron, all sizes.

A Full Assortment always on hand at the Store, of English and American Hardware and other Staple Goods, Electro-Plated Ware and Cutlery. de8

NOTICE

ESQUIMALT ROAD BRIDGES.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF REPAIRS, it will be necessary to close the Bridge across "The Arm" against Vehicles, for about four days, commencing from Monday morning, the 14th instant, but passengers on foot or on horseback will not be prevented from crossing.

JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.
Lands and Works Office, Victoria, Dec. 8th, 1868.
de9 4t

ROYAL HOSPITAL.

SUBSCRIBERS AND OTHERS ARE respectfully informed that their subscriptions to the above Institution are now due and will be thankfully received by

AUG. F. PEMBERTON, J. P.,
Treasurer.
de8 Or any of the DIRECTORS.

FOR

Christmas & New Year.

A. W. PIPER,

CONFECTIONER,

Government Street, Opposite the Theatre,

Would respectfully recommend his Superior Assortment of

HOME-MADE CANDIES & CAKES.

A GREAT VARIETY OF FANCY ARTICLES, SUCH TOYS AS:

Hearts, Candy-Boxes, &c.; Sugar-Flowers, for Ornaments; French Boxes, Filled with Choicest Sweets, for Presents.

An Unrivalled Assortment of Cakes, of the Best Material, Constantly on Hand, and

Made to Order.

BALLS, PARTIES, ETC., SUPPLIED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE. de8

DESIRABLE FARM

FOR SALE.

ONE OF THE FINEST FARMS IN LAKE DISTRICT (about five miles from this City) will be sold at a BARGAIN, in consequence of the Proprietor being obliged to return East, owing to urgent family affairs.

All the Cattle, Horses, Pigs, &c., as well as the Crops and the Furniture in the House will be sold with the Farm.

Full particulars can be had from the undersigned.

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
Land Agent,
de4 1w No. 2 Langley street, next to Yates.

TEA MEETING.

THE ANNUAL TEA OF THE WESLEYAN Church, of Victoria, will be held D. V., in the ST. NICHOLAS HALL, DEC. 15th, Tea to be served at 6½ p. m. After which, the audience will be entertained with choice Music from the Choir, under the accomplished Chorister Thos. Wilson, Esq., and Speeches for the times both from Rev. and Lay Gentlemen.

A general invitation is extended, and a spendid Tea Meeting anticipated. Tickets, $1 50 each. de7

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Henry Jerome and George Hilton, trading under the name or style of Jerome & Hilton, as Saloon-keepers, in Nanaimo, Vancouver Island, B. C., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of December, instant.

The business will be continued under the name or style of "Jerome & Pawson."

Dated, Nanaimo, 2nd December, 1868.

ROBERT BISHOP,
de7 Solicitor, Bastion street, Victoria.

New Advertisements.

LONDON HOUSE,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

Sept. 28th, 1868.

We are now Opening our Splendid Stock for the AUTUMN and WINTER TRADE, received by "Spirit of the Age," and Express.

These Goods have been carefully selected by us in London and Paris, and are in every respect the most desirable that could be Purchased for Cash in the best Markets of the World. They comprise all the Latest Fashions for Dress—very Superior STAPLE DRY GOODS, MANTLES, MILLINERY, FURS, &c., and some of the most Elegant Designs in FRENCH FANCY GOODS.

We are receiving additions to our Stock by every Steamer via Panama.

J. H. TURNER & CO.,
Sole Agents for Alexandre's Kid Gloves.

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DRY GOODS,

EX PRINCE VICTOR.

For Sale, by the undersigned, a Large Assortment of

WHITE AND GREY CALICOES,

PRINTS, WINCEYS,

STAPLE DRESS STUFFS, &c. &c.

—ALSO—

MENS' CLOTHING,

Of Superior Cut and Patterns.

JOHN WILKIE & CO.

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Invite Inspection of their LARGE STOCK of the CHOICEST VARIETIES of

Apple, Pear, Plum, Cherry, Peach, & other Fruit Trees,

Of One Year Old and Upwards, now ready for Removal, and guaranteed true to name.

—ALSO OF—

Evergreen and Deciduous Shrubs, Dwarf and Standard Roses, Bulbs and Nursery Stock of every description.

At the SEED STORE, Yates Street.

A Fine Assortment of Fresh Island-raised TIMOTHY and RYE GRASS, and FIELD and GARDEN SEEDS, of all kind on hand.

Fruit Trees Securely Packed for Travel.

Orders executed with fidelity and despatch, and Planting undertaken if required. oc29 3m

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BARGAINS IN

GENTS' CLOTHING

AND

UNDERCLOTHING,

To effect a Speedy Clearance of Stock saved from the late Fire.

CALL ON

J. Q. HEWLINGS,

(At his Old Stand),

Next to Site of Hotel de France,

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Biscuit, Crackers

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PILOT BREAD.

MANUFACTURED AT THE CRAIGFLOWER BAKERY, by K. McKENZIE.

For Sale in Lots to Suit.

Apply to

THOS. LETT STAHLSCHMIDT,
June 11th, 1868. jul2 6m i s

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

IN CONFORMITY WITH THE FIFTEENTH Section of the Municipal By-Law for raising a Revenue within the City of Victoria, the Municipal Assessment Roll was finally passed by the Municipal Council, on the 15th day of September, 1868, and afterwards published in the Government Gazette and Daily BRITISH COLONIST Newspaper, as required by said By-Law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN—That the said Roll being complete, the Municipal Rates levied under said By Law must be paid at the Office of the Town Clerk, Broad street, forthwith; in default of which, the provisions of Section XIX. imposing Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum upon all Rates unpaid from this date will be enforced.

By order of the Mayor,
WILLIAM LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.
Council Chambers, Broad street, Dec. 3, 1868. de5 1m

EX 'CONTINENTAL.'

DIRECT FROM

HAVANA,

250,000

Choice Cigars.

Samples can be had at

CAMPBELLS,

ADELPHI CORNER.

Particulars hereafter. no30

BUSINESS CARDS,

Bill & Letter Heads,

NEW STYLES,

AT THE

COLONIST JOB OFFICE

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The California Dry Dock Co.,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., U. S.

Notice to Shipowners, Agents, Consignees and Masters.

THE COMPANY'S DRY DOCKS, situate at HUNTER'S POINT, SAN FRANCISCO, are now Completed and in Successful Operation, and afford every facility for the Docking and Repair of all Classes of STEAM and SAILING VESSELS. The GRAVING DOCK, excavated on the Solid Rock, and finished in the most substantial manner, is of the following dimensions:

Extreme length, 450 feet; length on blocks, 416 feet; width at the top, 120 feet; depth, 30 feet; width at entrance 90 feet. At mean high tide will take in a ship drawing 22 feet without lightening.

This Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate, and is supplied with Two Powerful Centrifugal Steam Pumps, capable of pumping out the Dock in two hours.

The FLOATING DRY DOCK will receive Vessels of 1500 tons measurement and under. The Dock is 82 feet in width, and 210 feet in length; is built of the Soundest Oregon Pine, thoroughly braced and bolted, and is furnished with all the requisites for Docking a Ship successfully. Vessels taken up at all stages of the tide.

The Company feel warranted in stating that Repairs on Vessels can be made as advantageously in San Francisco in respect to Cost of Materials and Labor as in any other part of the world.

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Corner of Johnson & Waddington streets.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF FRESH MEAT, in season, constantly on hand, at Prices to suit the times.

Also, A fine Assortment of

Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon and Smoked Tongues, &c.,

Of our own curing, the season's great care having been taken to make them the best in the market.

Also, a daily supply of FRESH VEGETABLES.

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Victoria, Nov. 24th, 1868. no25

Candles! Soap!

EX "PRINCE VICTOR."

200 Boxes Stearine Candles.
480 Boxes Soap

For Sale by

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Dec. 11, 1868.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

Dec 8—Stmr Eliza Anderson, Finch, Port Townsend
Slp Hamley, Hollins, Nanaimo
Dec 9—Stmr Constantine, Wilson, Port Townsend
Stmr Emma, McCulloch, San Juan
Slp Mist, McKenzie, San Juan
Dec 10—Stmr Active, Sholl, Astoria

CLEARED.

Dec 8—Slp Hamley, Hollins, Nanaimo
Slp Invincible, Coffee, San Juan
Dec 9—Slp Thornton, Warren, Sooke
Slp Ocean Queen, Evers, San Juan
Slp Mist, McKenzie, San Juan
Stmr Eliza Anderson, Finch, Port Townsend
Sch Sabina, Anderson, Port Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per stmr ACTIVE from Portland—Lieut J G Hanmer, R N, Lieut Moore, R N, Lieut W P Wright, R M, Lieut White, R N, Mr Dawson, Paymaster R N, Mr Laird, Chief Eng R N, Col W H Johnston, Paymaster U S A, F Holliday, U S A, Mrs Saunders and 2 children, Mrs N C McGregor, W T Popham, J A Popham, John King, M Condon, F M Hanna, D Rafferty, D B Ford, T J Dearberg, Rev P Kerby, Bishop Demers, A F White, J Caston, H McDermott, C Fletcher, J Lahiff, Rev W C Chatlin, wife and 2 children, J D Pemberton, E DeNoung, Mrs Brady and 3 children, T Downey, J P Davies, W Duhig, J Arthur, M Gillanay, Jos Hamilton, J McKeller, D Emery, G W Reynolds, J Ramsey, T Taylor, Wyatt, John Margatt, Thomas Drew, and 6 others.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmr ACTIVE from Portland—H H, A C, J C, S N, G P, W & S, R B, Imperial Mills, P C D, P M, P T, W, H & H, G S, H E, L Blum, J B, J P, D & N S, L Bros, C & M, T, S, M, Lafayette Mills, North Yamhill Mills, W B B, S T, D B F, H, R C, C, J R, J Dickson, N, N W, B C, P D M, W G Norris, J Keyser, M Mark, J D Pemberton, Stafford & Hickin, J Caston.

IMPORTS.

Per stmr ACTIVE from Portland—4822 sks flour 116 sks wheat, 179 sks middlings, 36 sks feed, 520 sacks bran, 25 sacks oats, 320 boxes apples, 18 bxs pears, 93 bxs fruit, 5 gunnies hams, 2 do bacon, 29 cs lard, 8 bbls butter, 2 gunnies oatmeal, 5 sks rye, 13 pkgs noise, 4 cs household goods, 4 bxs eggs, 1 bdle socks, 4 sks sweet potatoes, 10 pieces machinery, 1 roll maps, 1 cs baggage, 1 pkg cheese, 2 pkgs baskets, 4 horses, 101 hd sheep, 10 hd cattle, 19 pkgs mail and express matter.

Auction Sales To-day.

J. A. McCREA.....Wharf street.....will sell, at 11 o'clock, at Craigflower Hotel, Victoria Arm, Furniture, &c.

For Interesting Reading Matter see 1st page

ARRIVAL OF THE ACTIVE.—The C O and Mex. SS Co's steamer Active, Captain Scholl arrived yesterday morning from Portland and Astoria, leaving the former place on Monday. At Astoria she remained to connect with the Ajax from San Francisco. The mails, 210 tons of freight, consisting of flour and other produce, a quantity of live stock and sixty-two passengers arrived by her. We notice amongst the passengers Bishop Demers, whose health has been improved by his lengthened absence from the Colony, also several officers for the squadron, J P Davies and others. Her list is published in the usual place. We learn that some Oregon farmers have come over with a view of seeking farms in the Colony. Knowing the superior character of the soil and climate, we gladly welcome them amongst us. The steamer G S Wright was loading at Portland for this port, and has freight offered for several trips. The Active was compelled to refuse a portion offered. Oregon staples are being hurriedly shipped to find a market. The Active, on her last trip to the Columbia staunchly withstood a severe gale which was blowing. She leaves again at ten this morning for Portland.

OPENING OF ST JOHN'S SCHOOL. — This creditable building, we are glad to hear, is to be opened on Monday next, and thence to commence its career of usefulness. It is the intention of the Rev Mr Jenns to have in it during the winter months a series of lectures, with the double object of affording useful and interesting information, and of defraying the debt which still remains upon the building. The inaugural Lecture will be given on the day already advertised, by the Bishop of British Columbia, in the School House. The subject will be 'British India,' with illustrations by the aid of a powerful Oxyhydrogen Lantern. By this means interesting views will be exhibited of Ceylon, the source of the Ganges—the Cave of Ellora, Delhi, Agra, Cawnpore, Benares, and other celebrated places. Tickets for the lectures, at which this magnificent Oxyhydrogen lantern, covering a disc of twenty-four feet will be used, are we understand, $1 each for single tickets—and for family tickets, including four persons, $2 each. The other lectures, when the lantern is not used will not be so high, as considerable expense has to be incurred in preparing the necessary gases.

DIAMONDS.—These precious stones which have so long held dominion over the world, as the most coveted of all possessions, are very likely to have their value sadly diminished, if we are to believe a tale going the rounds of the American papers. It is pretended the late earthquakes in South America have thrown up an island, which is composed principally of diamonds. The account says there are *boulders* of diamonds found on the island, and that a new pick of marvellous texture is being made at St Louis to extract them from the boulders. As soon as preparations are completed, a company formed already at St Louis are to leave for this wonderful island, and send home diamonds by the ship load. This may be all so—but it always struck us that earthquakes were far more likely to throw down large cities than to throw up diamond islands.

ACCIDENT.—An accident likely to befal any of us happened Mr N Shakespeare on Tuesday last, on crossing the bridge to his home, James bay. The bridge is being taken down previous to the building of the new one, but the necessary precautions were not taken to guard against danger to passengers, and on Tuesday night Mr Shakspeare fell through and came well nigh being drowned. He was rescued, but will be confined to his house for some days, as a result of the fall. It was generally understood that during the erection, a pathway was to have been prepared for foot passengers.

UNDER the title of 'More Ruination,' the Halifax *Express* states that of thirty-eight companies recently organized in Nova Scotia, twenty-four were got up in the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. And of the seven coal mining companies incorporated four are Canadian. 'Thus it will be seen,' it is said, that the 'hated Canadian' is foremost in developing our resources.' How very sad it is that the capital of Ontario and Quebec should flow into that poor ruined Province. Cannot the local Legislature prevent such acts of oppression?

A NEW FACTORY.—A person named Glover has established a match factory on Douglas street, a thing much needed in this Colony. The importation of matches is far greater than people would reasonably suppose, and there exists no cause why a local manufactured article, with our present consumption, should not pay. The article produced by Mr Glover, it is said by those who have tried it to be superior to the California matches.

MASONIC.—The quarterly Communication of the District Grand Lodge of Freemasons, under the Grand Lodge of England, will be held at New Westminster to-day. Several of our citizens who belong to the Order, left by the Enterprise yesterday. It is anticipated the meeting will contribute to the credit of this ancient Order, the success of which among us is a matter of interest

HONORABLE POSITION.—Mr Jonathan C Gibbs, brother of Mr Counciller Gibbs, of this city, has been appointed Secretary of the State fo Florida. The State Secretaryship in America is regarded as a position of distinction and importance, and one which requires no small personal and political influence to attain.

AUCTION SALE.—Mr McCrea will sell the furniture, etc, of Mr Holden's premises, Craigflower. This is a chance for housekeepers and others intending to furnish. Williams' busses will be on hand to convey purchasers to and from the sale.

THE EVENING'S ENTERTAINMENT. — Mr. Plummer's entertainment, particulars of which will be gathered from his programmes, will be given to-night at the theatre. The performance is a novelty in Victoria, and we are sure will be worth witnessing.

CONCERT.—The St John's Choral Society's concert which was announced in a previous issue, is advertised for the 22nd inst, at the Alhambra, in aid of the school building fund. Further concerts will be given by the Society during the season in aid of charitable objects.

HORRIBLE IF TRUE.—A rumor prevailed in town last night of a fearful tragedy having been enacted at Nanaimo. A Kanaka is said to have killed his wife, wife's sister and 3 children in a fit of jealousy,

THE remains of the late Mr Dissette arrived per steamer from San Juan yesterday afternoon, and were deposited in the Masonic Hall to await interment.

WE are indebted to Mr Goodhue, purser of the Active, for files of late papers.

THE story comes from Paris that a son of Louis Napoleon is living in New York.

THE schooner Clara Light was loading at San Francisco for this port on the 5th Dec.

WANTED.—Fifteen thousand of Hibben's Pacific Rail Road men for the consumption of Heywood's celebrated Pork Sausage, the Elixir of Life. It has been admitted by all the Medical Students of the Theatre Royal that Heywood's Pork Sausage is the only safe and sure remedy for all prevailing complaints. Three links fried nicely brown and taken internally every morning for breakfast will relieve hunger and restore the hair to its natural color. These unequalled and remarkable sausages are kept at all respectable first class Hotels, Restaurants and Boarding houses. Go in, if you want black hair. *

OVERLAND RAILWAY.—There are 15,000 men employed in the construction of the Overland Railway. It is encouraging to those who are in constant communication with the Eastern Markets to know of such an early prospect of greater future dispatch. Had this line been completed three months since, we should have been able before this date, respectfully to call the attention of the public to the great variety of Styles, and the Choice Patterns of the best Sheffield Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, &c., ex 'Bolivia.'—T. N HIBBEN & Co. *

NEW WINTER GOODS—Received per Express yesterday at VICTORIA HOUSE their usual assortment of Fall Millinery, comprising the latest styles in Hats and Bonnets, Trimmings and flowers, Chignons and Head Dresses, &c. A case of choice Furs also received—embracing Sable, Gribe and other fashionable kinds. A few elegant articles suitable for presents, such as Lace Trimmed Handkerchiefs, Collars, Portmonnaies, Reticules, etc, also on hand. *

ANTI-DIVORCE, is the name of the newest style, Gents' Neck Tie; these together with a Large Stock of Winter Clothing, Beaver Suits, Pants, Hats, Caps, Shaker and Oregon Underclothing, Boys' SUITS, Shirts, Socks, &c., have just been opened out at ADAMS & BEAVEN'S New Clothing Store, Government street, which they are selling cheap as usual. *

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—Invalids distracted by indigestion and discouraged in their search for its remedy should make trial of this never-failing medicine. A lady, long a martyr of dispeptic tortures, writes that Holloway's Pills made her feel as if a burden had been taken off her. Her spirits, formerly low, have greatly improved; her capricous appetite has given place to healthy hunger; her dull, sick headache has departed, and gradually so marvellous a change has been effected, that she is altogether a new creature, and again fit for her duties. These Pills may be administered with safety to the most delicate. They never act harshly, nor do they ever induce weakness; they rightly direct deranged, and control excessive action. 1

THERE is no excuse for those who drag their weary and disordered bodies into our company when a few doses of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA would cleanse their murky blood and restore their health and vigor. Ye muddy victims of bilious disease, have some regard for your neighbors, if not for yourselves. *

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Dec 3—Despatches received at the State Department from our Consul-General at Cuba state that the revolutionists were badly defeated in their late operations, and the general impression seems to be that the revolutionists will fail in their efforts to overthrow the present Government.

HAVANA, Dec 3—The revolutionists report that the future of their cause looks much brighter; they will not surrender, and they expect reinforcements from the Americans.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Nov 26—The *Herald's* Washington special gives what purports to be the substance of a Convention between Minister Johnson and Lord Stanley, which received the approval of the British Government. It is now under consideration by the President. All claims are to be submitted to a commission of persons, two of whom are to be selected by Queen Victoria and one by the President, to meet in Washington. It shall examine and decide according to justice and equity, without fear, favor or affection. In case the Commissioners are unable to agree upon any claim, they shall select as arbitrator some sovereign of Europe, friendly to both Governments, whose decision shall be final and absolute. The convention prescribed the manner in which evidence shall be taken and the decision rendered. Each government shall appoint one person to attend the Commission and an agent in its behalf to perfect the report and reply to the claims and represent it generally. In all matters connected with the investigation both the contracting parties shall agree to consider the decision of the Commissioners absolute and conclusive, and give full effect to such decision without evasion or delay. Every claim must be represented within six months after the first meeting, unless good reason shall be shown to account for delay, in which case the time may be extended, not exceeding three months. The Commissioners are bound to examine and decide upon every claim within a year from the first meeting. All sums of money allowed by the Commission on any claims shall be paid by England within twelve months, without interest or deduction. This plan may be changed to give us an equal representation in the Commission and have meetings at Washington and London alternatly.

CHICAGO, Dec 1—The *Republican's* New York special says that a story is circulated this morning, and generally believed, that Fisk, Receiver of the Erie road, has absconded with $800,000 of the Company's funds. Detective Young states that he was notified late last night of Gould and Fisk's intention of absconding, and accordingly stationed a detective to watch in the building and all the down-town firms and depots. About midnight two men muffled in cloaks, apparently anxious to avoid recognition, came out of the Erie buildings, stepped into a carriage in waiting, and ordered to be driven to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, but as the carriage returned by way of Horena ferry, the detectives inferred that the two mysterious men attempted to cross the river by the lower ferries, but finding them guarded, had gone up town to reach the New Jersey ferry, then driving to Erie depot. The detectives stationed at the depot found a locomotive with steam up, attached to the Director's car. They inquired of the conductor if he was going out. He denied that he was and refused to explain anything. While there, they heard the whistle of the locomotive near Bergen tunnel. The Station-master ordered them off the track, saying that the freight train was coming in. During the confusion the Directors' car steamed off, convincing the detectives that a successful trick had been played upon them, and the men they had been watching had escaped. Gould has been at the office of the Company to-day and denies that Fisk has absconded. He says the train was sent to carry men on important business for the Company. Drew and others believe he has run away. Opinions are greatly divided, and there is much excitement about the matter. Important developments are expected to-morrow.

General Sherman states emphatically that the use of his name in connection with Grant's Cabinet is unauthorized. He will not accept any position. Mr Stanton makes the same announcement.

The sketch of the protocol sent by Reverdy Johnson, is very unsatisfactory to this Government, and amendments have been sent back by cable. The opinion is becoming general that the present British Ministry will not have time to complete the Alabama negotiations before the meeting of Parliament.

NEW YORK, Dec 3—In conversation recently, Senator Cameron told a Washington correspondent that firmness in the administration of the laws will restore tranquility; that firmness is what the country obtains in Grant.

The *Herald* says of the resignation of the British Ministry, that this prompt response to the will of the people, as popularly expressed, is regarded with satisfaction by both the friends and foes of the late Premier. There was in fact no other alternative. It would be a happy thing for the country if every Cabinet Minister should feel obliged to tender his resignation whenever the popular will is expressed in opposition to the measures of an existing administration.

It is stated that Seward and several of his friends are making preparations to visit Europe immediately after Grant takes the Presidential chair.

NEW YORK, Dec 5—There was a report in the gold room to-day that riots had taken place in Paris, and that Napoleon was killed. Gold advanced, but soon relapsed to its original price.

The Siamese twins sailed for Paris to day, where the cord which unites them will be severed.

NEW YORK Dec 5—The seat of John Morrissey, in Congress, will be contested on the ground that he has not had a legal residence in this country long enough to entitle him to hold a seat in Congress.

Europe.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The alleged outrages upon foreigners in Paraguay have been disproved.

Much indignation is caused among British ship owners by the rumor that the Alabama treaty does not allow the claims of Englishmen based on decisions of American prize courts to be reopened before the Commission. The Shipping *Gazette* says such a provision is contrary to precedents established by the Americans themselves, and excludes claims undoubtedly well founded, and it declares if this report be true the convention is a capitulation and Parliament will never sanction it. A writer in the *Observer* takes the same view of the subject. He discourses it at length, citing many authorities.

The *Times'* Paris correspondent and other London papers have lately given currency to rumors that the health of the Emperor Napoleon is fast failing.

A Madrid dispatch says the popular subscription to the national loan now amounts to 319,000,000 reals. Apprehensions of bloodshed in Spain are increasing. It is thought a collision between the Monarchists and Republicans will be the inevitable result of such excited political contests.

VIENNA, Nov 29.—The Austrian Government has fitted out and dispatched from Trieste an expedition to sail around the world. It is under the command of Carl Schurz.

MADRID, Nov 26—The Provisional Government has appointed December 18th as a day for holding the election for Cortes. It is positively denied that the Spanish squadron in the Pacific has refused to give in its adhesion to the revolutionary government.

LONDON, Nov. 26—Jefferson Davis, who is stopping at Leamington, delivered a discourse on the importance of exploring Jerusalem, and the peculiar fitness of Englishmen for the honorable task.

LONDON, Dec 1—A dispatch from Constantinople says it is believed that the Sublime Porte will recall his Embassy from Athens, unless recruiting for Crete ceases in Greece.

The Queen has recovered from her slight indisposition and will leave Osborne soon after the meeting of Parliament.

A grand testimonial banquet is projected in Liverpool in honor of the members of the expiring Cabinet. Gladstone's chapter of an autobiography is generally thought to be a needless and injurious publication, and it alienated many friends.

PARIS, Dec 1—General Prim in his letter to Gaulis, declares the Spanish government will have no dealings with the Bourbons. He denies with indignation the truth of the report he he proposes a *coup d etat.*

BERLIN, Nov 1—In the House of Deputies to-day the Minister of Justice, Count Vonlippe, made a speech urging legislation for making the legal system for the Prussian kingdom uniform with the system of the North German States.

MADRID, Dec 1—On Monday a political meeting of Modists at Valladolid was broken up by Republicans.

MADRID, Dec 1—A rumor is abroad that the United States Government has recognized the Cuban insurgents as belligerents. Admiral Mendez has arrived at Madrid. The The Republicans attacked and dispersed a meeting of Monarchists in the town of Orentz

LONDON, Dec 2—The great scull race on the Thames to-day between Joseph Saddler and Kelley resulted in the defeat of Saddler by four lengths. Weather fine and immense crowds in attendance.

CORK, Dec 2—Sullivan, who was struck from the Commission of Peace for alleged sympathy with Fenianism, has been elected Mayor of this city.

LONDON, Dec 4—Hon Reverdy Johnson was entertained at a banquet last night by the Chamber of Commerce at Birmingham. John Bright was one of the guests. Mr Johnson, in response to the usual complimentary toast, referred to a change in the Ministry, and said he knew those who were likely to succeed to the Government were anxious to continue the present policy in the negotiations between England and the United States.

Mr Bright said the presence of the American Minister is a proof that the United States forgives her enemies in England as freely as she has the Rebels. He referred to the policy of the British Government during the Rebellion as to declaring its action recognizing the Rebels as belligerents. He rejoiced in the prospect of a speedy and amicable settlement of the difficulties between England and America.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 19 — Gov Haight received from Gen McClellan a reply to his telegram informing him of his election to the Presidency of the State University. The General declines the position on the ground that the salary, $4,000 in coin is insufficient. He is at present getting over $15,000 in greenbacks for his services.

Elijah White sues Henry Cox to recover $2,500 for alleged slander. Plaintiff was a member of the M E Church, and was a physician. He was accused of gross misdemeanor and on trial expelled from the church. He now claims that he was the victim of a conspiracy between Dr Cox and members of congregation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 3—Last night about ten o'clock S P Roberts had a trifling dispute with his landlady Mrs Sunderman, at No 316 Pine stret, and she ordered him out of the house. Roberts immediately left the house and Mrs Sunderman called upon Mr Klitzing and Captain Struttmyer, lodgers in the house, to follow and arrest him. They overtook Roberts at the corner of Sansome and Pine streets and as is alleged knocked him down and attempted to beat him. Roberts defended himself with a bowie knife, stabbing Klitzing in the arm shoulder and back. The wound in the arm severed an artery and he bled to death in five minutes. Struttman received four severe wounds and bled terribly but is not considered in danger. All the parties concerned bore the reputation of being quiet respectable men.

Canada.

HALIFAX, Dec 3—The repealers believe that on the accession to power of the Liberals in England, a petition for repeal will be successful. An anti-confederation meeting was held last night.

FRED PAYNE has removed his Cheap Shaving Shop to the opposite side of Johnson street, just above the Miner's Saloon. *

Auction Sales.

AUCTION

Furniture Sale.

THIS DAY

J. A. McCREA is instructed by Mr E. C. Holden, to sell on Friday, Dec 11th, at 11 o'clock a. m., at Craigflower Hotel, Victoria Arm, all his Household Furniture consisting in part of, One Mahogany French Double Bedstead, Double and Single Cottage Bedstead, Spring, Hair and Pulu Mattrasses, Blankets, Sheets, Towels and Pillow-cases, Bureaus, Washstands, What-not, Toilet Tables, Child's Crib and Trundle Bed, Book Shelf, Books and Engravings, Crockery and Glassware, Preserve Jars, Cooking Utensils, Kitchen Ware, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Decanters, Tumblers and Bar Fixtures, One Child's Buggy.

A lot of fine Laying Hens, Lot of Vegetables in ground. de9

AUCTION

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice for V. I.—In Chancery.

Mitchell (since deceased) *vs.* Robb and another. Woods Administrator of Mitchell *vs.* same. And in *re* the Estates of Harrop, deceased, and of Mitchell, deceased.

Mr J. A. McCREA has received instructions to sell, under the decree, dated the 12th day of August, 1867, in the above cause, at his Auction Room, Wharf street, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of December, inst., at 12 o'clock, noon.

LOT 1—All that piece or parcel of Land known as Section No. (6) six on the Official Plan of Comox District, containing about 150 acres, with the Dwelling House and Farm Buildings thereon, formerly occupied and used by Mr George Mitchell, since deceased, and also the new Frame Buildings, nearly complete, at a cost of $700.

The above premises possess the best and most commodious frontage to the Inlet at Comox, where the steamboat plies; nearly 100 acres are prairie land, and the greater part has been under cultivation.

LOT 2—All that piece or parcel of Land known as Section No. seven (7) on the said Plan, immediately adjoining the said last-mentioned lot, and containing about 107 acres. This land also is well worthy of notice, having been in part cultivated; the remainder may easily be brought under cultivation.

The above properties are held under certificates of pre-emption and improvement from the Land Office.

The conditions of Sale may be seen, and all further particulars known on application at the Office of Robert Bishop, Solicitor for the Plaintiff and in the Estate of Mitchell, deceased, and Messrs Drake, Jackson & Aikman, Solicitors for the Defendant, Bastion street, Victoria,

Dated 5th December, 1868. de7

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J. P. DAVIES & CO. will sell, on Saturday, Dec. 12th, at 11 o'clock a. m., the Furniture and Fixings of the ORLEANS HOTEL, corner of Store and Cormorant streets, comprising: Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Washstands, Carpets, Lounge, Mirrors, Pictures, Bureau, Cupboards, Meat Safes, Feather, Hair, Pulu and Straw Mattrasses, Blankets, Sheets, Counterpanes, Pillows, Coal Oil Lamps, Clocks, Decanters, Glasses, Tools, Books, Crockery, Tinware, Tubs, Buckets, Barrels, No 10 Cook Stove and Fixings, Lot Stores, Sauces, Vinegar, Currants, &c., Small Lot Liquors, &c.; also, about 3 cords Wood, Lot Planking, about 4 doz Chickens, 4 Geese, 4 ducks. de9

AUCTION.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., have been instructed by Rear Admiral the Hon. G. F. Hastings, C. B., Commander-in-Chief, to sell by Auction, Wednesday, December 16th, at the Naval Yard, Esquimalt, Old Naval and Victualing Stores. (Particulars hereafter.) de8

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

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